

**In the claims**

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (original) Soap including glycerine and sapropel.
2. (original) The soap of claim 1, wherein the soap is a sodium soap.
3. (original) The soap of claim 1, wherein the soap is a potassium soap.
4. (currently amended) The soap of ~~any one of the preceding claims~~ claim 1, wherein the sapropel is white sapropel.
5. (currently amended) The soap of ~~any one of claims 1 to 3~~ claim 1, wherein the sapropel is black sapropel.
6. (currently amended) The soap of ~~any one of the preceding claims~~ claim 1 for use as a medicament.
7. (original) A process for making soap, the process including the steps of adding sapropel to the reactants and not removing the resultant glycerine from the end product or adding glycerine to the end product.
8. (currently amended) The use of the soap of ~~any one of Claims 1 to 5~~ claim 1 for the manufacture of a medicament for the treatment of a condition selected from the group consisting of acne, eczema, dermatitis, psoriasis, athlete's foot and skin allergies.